

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: John G. CARMAN Confirmation No.: 8954
Application No.: 10/772,243 Group Art Unit: 1638
Filing Date: February 6, 2004 Examiner: Keith O'Neal Robinson
For: METHODS FOR STABILIZING AND CONTROLLING APOMIXIS Attorney Docket No.: 15740.005

NOTICE OF APPEAL

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Commissioner for Patents
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Sir,

This is in response to the final Office Action dated June 28, 2007. Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.191, Applicant hereby appeals from the final rejection of all claims pending in the application. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the fee of \$255 as required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(b) to Deposit Account No. 060590. The Commissioner is also authorized to charge any additional fee required to maintain this application to Deposit Account No. 060590.

Also enclosed is a petition to extend the time for responding to, and including, December 28, 2007, with fee authorization for any additional fees that may be necessary.

Respectfully submitted,

December 28, 2007

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